

District Profile
TEXAS SENATE DISTRICT 19¹
ACS 2017-2021 Estimates

SELECTED POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Total population	896,335		28,862,581
Age			
0 to 4 years	65,746	7.3%	6.8%
5 to 17 years	182,220	20.3%	19.0%
18 to 64 years	548,596	61.2%	61.7%
65 years and over	99,773	11.1%	12.5%
Race/Ethnicity			
Anglo (non-Hispanic)	190,786	21.3%	40.7%
Non-Anglo	705,549	78.7%	59.3%
Hispanic	608,785	67.9%	39.8%
Black alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	79,713	8.9%	13.5%
Asian alone or in combination with 1 or more other races	24,755	2.8%	5.9%
Population age 5 and over	830,589		26,903,358
Ability to speak English			
Speaks English only	461,652	55.6%	64.9%
Speaks other than English at home	368,937	44.4%	35.1%
Speaks English very well or well	309,944	37.3%	28.3%
Does not speak English well or at all	58,993	7.1%	6.8%
Special populations⁴			
Moved in the past 12 months	128,375	NA	4,237,650
Veterans	63,325	NA	1,426,641
Active duty military	14,363	NA	102,600
SELECTED HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate^{1,2}	District Percent³	State³
Number of households	292,646		10,239,341
Average number of persons per household⁴	2.99	NA	2.76
Households by composition			
1 person	64,582	22.1%	25.3%
2 persons	85,678	29.3%	31.3%
3 or 4 persons	94,668	32.3%	31.0%
5 or more persons	47,718	16.3%	12.4%
Household type			
Family households	212,319	72.6%	68.9%
Nonfamily households	80,327	27.4%	31.1%
Number of families	212,319		7,055,810
Families with children by birth, marriage, or adoption under age 18	101,752	47.9%	46.5%
Married-couple families	65,626	30.9%	32.1%
Families with both parents employed	38,907	18.3%	18.6%
Single-parent families	36,126	17.0%	14.3%
Families with the parent employed	28,499	13.4%	11.5%

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SELECTED EDUCATION CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Population age 3 and over enrolled in school	253,624		7,752,643
School status			
In preschool (public and private)	13,024	5.1%	5.6%
In kindergarten, elementary, middle, or high school (public and private)	183,120	72.2%	70.4%
In preschool through 12th grade (public only)	183,145	72.2%	68.5%
In college, graduate, or professional school	57,480	22.7%	24.0%
Population age 25 and over	553,859		18,619,469
Educational attainment			
Bachelor's degree or higher	130,013	23.5%	31.5%
Less than high school graduate	106,556	19.2%	15.2%
SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Civilian employed population age 16 and over	395,593		13,618,630
Civilian employment sector			
Private sector	301,778	76.3%	79.4%
Government sector	68,765	17.4%	13.6%
Self-employed	24,104	6.1%	6.8%
Industry for civilian employed population			
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting, and mining	11,315	2.9%	2.8%
Construction	34,413	8.7%	8.7%
Manufacturing	25,188	6.4%	8.5%
Wholesale trade	7,617	1.9%	2.7%
Retail trade	46,390	11.7%	11.1%
Transportation and warehousing and utilities	23,804	6.0%	6.2%
Information	4,957	1.3%	1.6%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	29,729	7.5%	6.8%
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste mgmt.	35,002	8.8%	11.9%
Educational services and health care and social assistance	92,273	23.3%	21.7%
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation, and food services	39,776	10.1%	8.8%
Other services, except public administration	19,060	4.8%	5.0%
Public administration	26,069	6.6%	4.1%
Population age 16 to 64	576,517		18,640,383
Worked at all in the past 12 months	429,860	74.6%	76.0%
Worked 50-52 weeks	337,353	58.5%	59.7%
Usually worked 35 or more hours per week	296,554	51.4%	52.7%
Usually worked less than 35 hours per week	40,799	7.1%	7.0%

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SELECTED LABOR CHARACTERISTICS (continued)	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Workers age 16 and over	402,939		13,464,482
Means of transportation to work			
Public transportation	5,035	1.2%	1.1%
Private vehicle	354,103	87.9%	86.7%
Walk / bicycle / motorcycle	8,414	2.1%	1.8%
Taxi / other means	5,345	1.3%	1.3%
Worked at home	30,042	7.5%	9.1%
Travel time to work ⁵			
Less than 15 minutes	90,077	22.4%	22.4%
15 minutes to 29 minutes	140,067	34.8%	33.1%
30 minutes to 44 minutes	84,854	21.1%	20.0%
45 minutes to 59 minutes	30,605	7.6%	7.9%
60 minutes or more	27,294	6.8%	7.5%
 SELECTED INCOME CHARACTERISTICS	 District Estimate ^{1,2}	 District Percent ³	 State ³
Persons in poverty ⁶	143,085	16.4%	14.0%
Per capita income ⁴	\$26,595	NA	\$34,255
Number of households	292,646		10,239,341
Annual household income			
Less than \$10,000	18,771	6.4%	5.7%
\$10,000 to \$24,999	38,891	13.3%	11.5%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	61,183	20.9%	20.2%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	93,402	31.9%	29.9%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	67,050	22.9%	23.9%
\$200,000 and over	13,349	4.6%	8.7%
Households with social security income	77,313	26.4%	25.2%
Households with supplemental security income (SSI)	20,153	6.9%	4.6%
Households with public assistance income ⁷	6,835	2.3%	1.9%
Number of families living in poverty	27,376		757,317
With related children under age 18	20,410	74.6%	75.4%
Married couple families	6,538	23.9%	25.4%
Single-parent families	13,872	50.7%	50.0%
Female head of household	12,081	44.1%	43.6%
Male head of household	1,791	6.5%	6.4%

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SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS	District Estimate ^{1,2}	District Percent ³	State ³
Number of housing units	323,043		11,433,880
Age of housing			
Built in 2010 or later	63,593	19.7%	14.5%
Built between 2000 and 2009	67,754	21.0%	18.4%
Built between 1990 and 1999	42,938	13.3%	14.6%
Built between 1970 and 1989	72,134	22.3%	30.1%
Built before 1970	76,624	23.7%	22.3%
Occupancy status			
Owner-occupied	193,693	60.0%	55.9%
Renter-occupied	98,953	30.6%	33.7%
Vacant	30,397	9.4%	10.4%
Average gross rent (contract rent plus estimated utility and fuel cost) ⁴	\$1,109	NA	\$1,228
Average value of owner-occupied housing units ⁴	\$202,258	NA	\$260,134
Number of owner-occupied housing units	193,693		6,391,061
Value of owner-occupied housing			
Less than \$50,000	17,749	9.2%	7.7%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	39,028	20.1%	12.9%
\$100,000 to \$199,999	64,282	33.2%	28.7%
\$200,000 to \$499,999	66,972	34.6%	41.2%
\$500,000 and above	5,662	2.9%	9.5%
Selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	30,894	15.9%	15.5%
20 to 34.9 percent	46,017	23.8%	24.6%
Less than 20 percent	114,894	59.3%	59.0%
Vehicles available in owner-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	5,644	2.9%	2.1%
One or more vehicles	188,049	97.1%	97.9%
Number of renter-occupied housing units	98,953		3,848,280
Gross rent ⁹			
Less than \$500	7,833	7.9%	5.2%
\$500 to \$749	11,696	11.8%	9.4%
\$750 to \$999	22,284	22.5%	20.6%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	19,820	20.0%	21.5%
\$1,250 and above	30,470	30.8%	38.7%
Gross rent as a percentage of household income ⁸			
35 percent or more	35,674	36.1%	36.8%
20 to 34.9 percent	29,841	30.2%	32.3%
Less than 20 percent	24,183	24.4%	24.1%
Vehicles available in renter-occupied housing units			
No vehicle	11,053	11.2%	10.4%
One or more vehicles	87,900	88.8%	89.6%

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- ¹ The district profiles were compiled by Texas Legislative Council (TLC) Research by aggregating census block group data into senate and house districts. Block groups that crossed district lines were counted in the district totals of the district in which more than 50% of the population lived. Comparisons to the previous district profiles should be made with caution.
- ² The ACS data is gathered from surveys distributed to a sample of the population. The margin of error (MOE) that accompanies each of the estimates is available upon request from TLC. The MOE indicates the reliability of these estimates.
- ³ State and district percentages are based on the totals in the general category shown above each group and marked by a gray bar.
- ⁴ This report does not include state and district percentages for the special populations group or the variables that illustrate average values. For these variables, the state estimate is provided.
- ⁵ Individuals who worked at home are not included in these categories.
- ⁶ Percentages are based on the population for whom poverty status is determined.
- ⁷ Public assistance income includes Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) but not SSI or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)/food stamps.
- ⁸ Households reporting no income or a negative income (where expenses are more than income) are excluded.
- ⁹ Only housing units with tenants paying rent are included in these categories. Rental units with tenants living in them for free or in exchange for services are not included.